

Amendments to the Specification

Please replace the paragraph that begins on Page 1, line 5 and carries over to Page 2, line 2, with the following marked-up replacement paragraph:

-- The present invention is related to U. S. Patent _____ Patent 6,658,356 (serial number 10/077,547), entitled "Programmatically Deriving Street Geometry from Address Data"; U. S. Patent _____ (serial number 10/077,079), entitled "Adapting Point Geometry for Storing Address Density"; and U. S. Patent _____ (serial number 10/077,146), entitled "Programmatically Calculating Paths from a Spatially-Enabled Database", each of which was filed concurrently herewith and which is hereby incorporated herein by reference. These patents are commonly assigned to the International Business Machines Corporation ("IBM"). The latter of these patents is referred to hereinafter as "the path computation invention". --

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